

## **DETAILED ACTION**

### ***Reissue Applications***

The reissue oath/declaration filed with this application is defective (see 37 CFR 1.175 and MPEP § 1414) because of the following:

The last reissue declaration in this case was filed 2/25/10. There have been substantive (more than typographical) amendments after that on 10/1/10, 7/27/11 and 2/17/12 (although the 2/17/12 amendment doesn't appear to change anything from 7/27/11). Hence, a SUPPLEMENTAL reissue declaration (form PTO/SB/51S) is now required from Applicant.

Claims 1-2 and 13 – 35 are rejected as being based upon a defective reissue declaration under 35 U.S.C. 251 as set forth above. See 37 CFR 1.175.

The nature of the defect(s) in the declaration is set forth in the discussion above in this Office action.

### ***Conclusion***

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to ROY POTTER whose telephone number is (571)272-1842. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Zandra Smith can be reached on 571 272 2429. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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